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Serial No.: 10/665,417 Art Unit: 1755
Filed: September 22, 2003 Examiner: Marcheschi, Michael
For: **METHOD OF CHEMICAL
MECHANICAL PLANARIZATION** Atty. Docket No.: 060937-0215-US

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Sir:

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Enclosure



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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated August 23, 2004, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

Specification amendments begin at page 2 of this Amendment;

Claim amendments begin at page 3 of this response; and

Remarks begin at page 6.

A List of the Currently Pending Claims is attached as Appendix A.

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